

shot away to the north, and the crowds straining their eyes up to the thing of the skies burst out in a storm of Johnstone cut sharply around and breasted the wind. Over the track he swept to the eastward, thousands waiting for him in the grandstand. He flew straight toward them, as if he would alight in their midst, and then, poised just above the race course, he dipped to them and

It was a magnificent sight. Men. vomen and children rose from their seats, and the sound of the breaking voices rose to the empty vault and died at Johnstone's feet.

Thousands Gaze Above.

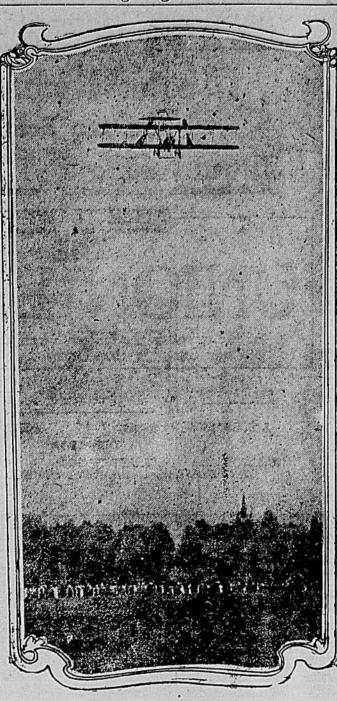
But in his ears rang the whir of the propellers, and he did not hear the acclaim. But he could see the frenzied hands uplifted toward him, and more than 20,000 faces smiling at him from the ground. He waved his right hand and a shudder went through the great bird as it climbed still higher into the frome of the clouds. Far above the west end of the field he turned again and looped above the few spectators and mechanicians gathered there. Then

smiling. From the north of the grounds severy engine steamed out a chorus of inharmonious whistles. Johnstone laughed and waved his hands. They whistled again, and people took up the cue. It was worse than pandemonium. Whistles blew, people yelled, and children piped approval.

"They're pleased with you," said Mr Jackson. The aviator only smiled and waved his hands. Manager Mark Lloyd came up. "You couldn't have done any more," he said. "We're all pleased. One of the directors said that you might have the \$5,000 now."

Johnston answered in his only way. He smiled. That smile of his is more expressive than the world-yonowned smile of President Taft. It's a speech—the only speech Johnstone ever makes.

Reaching Higher Altitudes



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and mechanicians gathered there. Then he shot down like a fish hawk and came just above the grass tops. He skirimed about like a swallow, and the crowd went wild. People' wondered at the man and the thing he rode is the pathless fields. It seemed as it is the man and the thing he rode is the pathless fields. It seemed as it is the pathless fields it seemed as it is the pathless fields. It seemed as it is the pathless fields it was a might provided from the pathless fields. It seemed as it is the pathless fields it was a might provided from the pathless fields. It seemed as it is the pathless fields it was a might provided from the pathless fields. It was a might provided from the people wondered at the man of the people wondered at the man of the people wondered from the people wondered from under trackless ways and the uncharted ocean of the air.

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Eighth race—for three-year-olds and
mark one and one-sixteenth miles—
Hazelthorpe, 121 (Welbourne), first;
Chesk, 116 (Gordon), second; Jack Baker, 123 (McCabe), third, Time, 1:50.
Culpeper also ran.

PROGRAM FOR

TO-DAY'S RACES Harness Events First race, 2:27 trot (stake), purse

Crovo, Washington, D. C.
Running:
Tace—five furlongs—Joe
Mason, 105; Gent, 106; Nthillst, 108;
Presque Isle Gem, 106; Fort Carroll,
105; Billie Hibbs, 114; Baby Willie,
108; Apptentice Girl, 108; Cherokee
Fifth was

Rose. 102.
Fifth race—one mile—Eminola, 113.
Jack Baker, 116; Miss Randolph, 102:
Rokeby, 98; Hazelthorpe, 112; Aunt
Kate, 112.
Sixth race—steeplechase, about two
miles—Essex, 150; Flatfoot, 144; Glopper, 132; Touchwood, 150.
Seventh race—one mile and a sixteenth—Hymen, 102; Benlaia, 112;
Cheek, 109; Bethlehem, 109; Hazelthorpe, 112; Cülpeper, 102.

## PICKINGS FROM THE PADDOCK

Coming back to Toddles for a min-ute, Lády Jean should not be forgot-ten. She really forced the race and made the winner exert himself to his utmost. She is due a lot of credit for her performance, and so is Kellam, who drove her. She went mighty fast and made a most excellent showing.

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The 2:14 pace, second event on the card for to-day, has six starters, and should prove interesting. On form, Bessie Gentry, an excellent roan filly, four years old, should win. She is by the champion pacer, John R. Gentry, owned by H. Cannon, of Florence, S. C. Frank S. and Miss Hobson should be the only contenders. The rest of the field will be distanced, if appearances can be believed, which is doubtful in a horse race.

First race, 2:17 trot (stake), purse \$100.

Second race, 2:15 trot, purse \$400.

Third race, 2:15 trot, purse \$400.

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Third race—for all age, selling by subscription of \$5 each, with \$225 and \$200.

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## THE BEST TOILET

Bob Taylor looked familiar on Bit-zen in the steeplechase. He is a pop-ular jockey in these parts, and the fact that his mount is a home-bred horse didn't detract from his popu-larity. There was much cheering when he cantered in a winner.

Edward R. Watson, the paddock judge is one of the busiest men around the course. It keeps him going continually, but he does it with a smile,

The dopesters sat up and took notice when Hymen romped away from Billy Hibbs in the first running race of the day. Then there were excuses Billy wasn't warm. It wasn't his distance. Didn't want to run him anyway, and more and also likewise. Can't tell about these favorites all the time.

Cherokee Rose, Billy Hibbs and Fort Carroll should finish in the order named in the fourth event to-day, un-less one of them is scratched. It looks like a close race in the fifth event, but inspection leads to the cpinion that Hazlethrope, Jack Baker and Miss Randolph should be one, two, three.

You can't tell about 'em when they go over the sticks. Somebody might fall down and break a leg, but Essex should be an easy winner with Touchstone, second, and Flatfoot bringing up the rear. Glopper is also entered in this event.

In the last race Cheek, Hymen and Ben Lalla should be the contenders.

If you look over the summary you will find that each of the harness events but one, was won in straight heats. Rather unusual.

